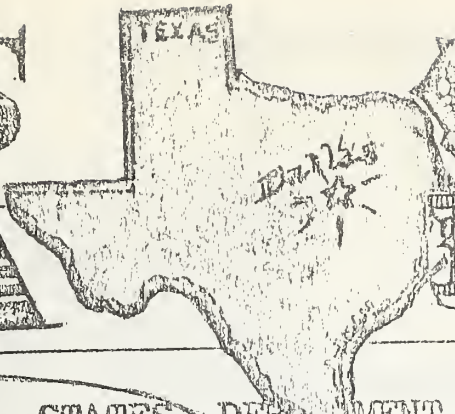


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USDA CLUB PARTY ARIOT OF FUN & FESTIVITY.

USDA Club President Jim Wright is thinking of all that easy money he passed up by not negotiating a contract with the city fathers to take over the Dr. Krick rainmaker spot. A long drouth was broken by the simple expedient (we think!) of setting the date for the USDA Club party. It didn't dampen the enthusiasm of the 125 hardy adults plus 18 children who came out to Wiley's Dude Ranch for the barbecue and other events scheduled. Late in the night when all had departed a huge sigh went up from the Wiley hired help.... "Those USDA folk sure do know how to have fun... And they shoah, Do!"

"THEY SHALL HAVE MUSIC WHEREVER THEY GO!"

The Cheer Club of CSS Commodity Office initiated a vote among the employees who voted for the installation of Muzak system of music. The project has proved very popular and the music does seem to relax and rest the workers during the fag end of the day. A loudspeaker system centralized in the conference room enables Mr. Moseley and others to make announcements to the entire office. Pictured above are Dorothy Broyles, Nan Taylor, Lynn Bethen, and Linnie Brewer, Inventory Control File Unit.

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NEWS NOTES FROM ALL AROUND.....

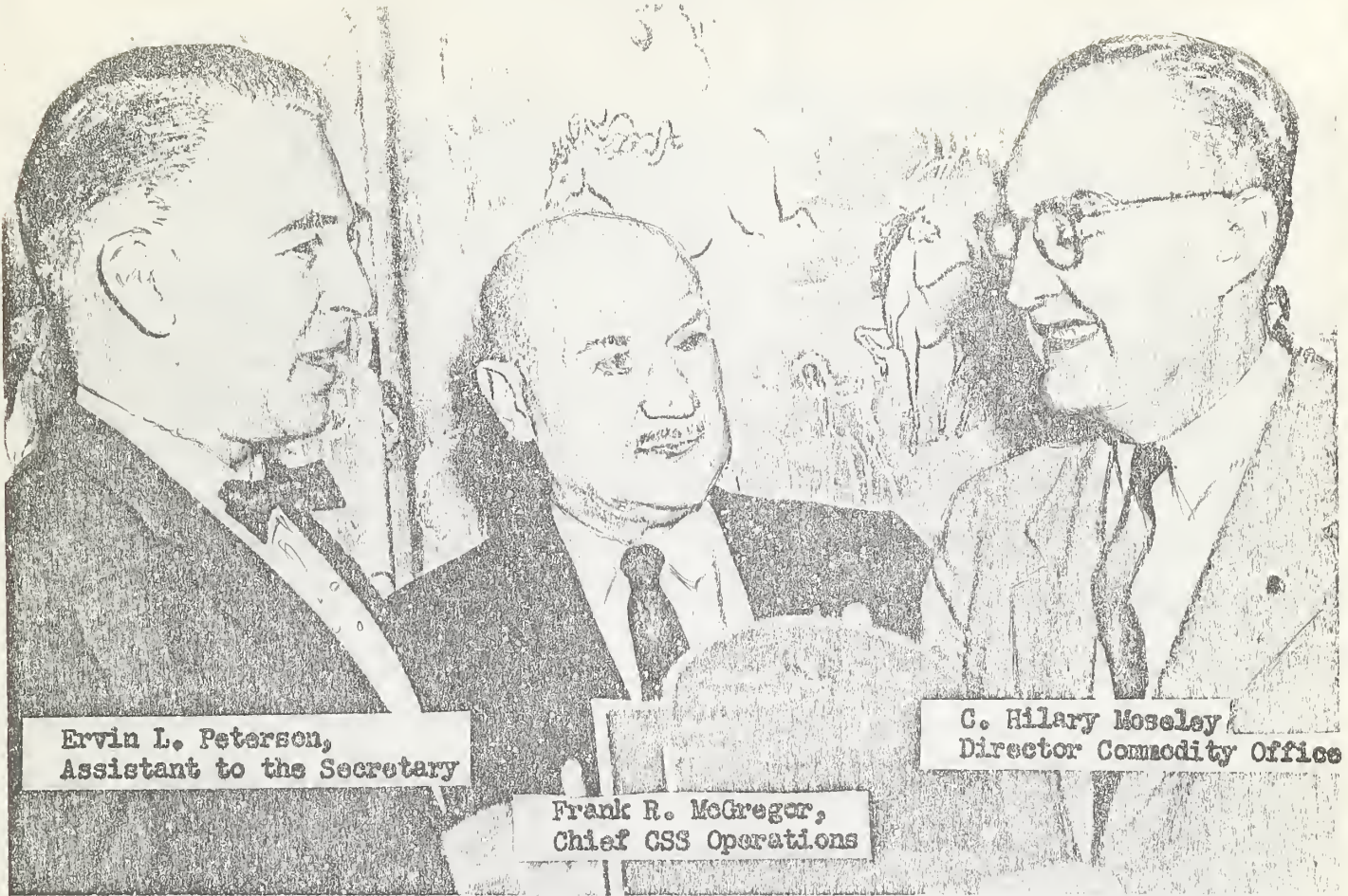
Recent new arrivals in the Merchandise mart are State Office of the Farmers Home Administration, Office of the General Counsel, and Food Distribution, AMS...

New employees for Office of the General Counsel include Thomas Edwin Toone, Warren X. Boney...

Incidentally theirs is one of the more attractive Christmas trees to be seen here and there. Commodity Office has an attractive  
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Ervin L. Peterson,  
Assistant to the Secretary

Frank R. McGregor,  
Chief CSS Operations

C. Hilary Moseley  
Director Commodity Office

## CSS Commodity Office Honor Plaque Presented Director

Honoring the employees of the C S S Commodity Office, pictured above, is Mr. Ervin L. Peterson, Assistant USDA Secretary, presenting the plaque to Commodity Office Director C. Hilary Moseley, in a colorful ceremony held at the Statler-Hilton Hotel, October 24. The individual awards for each employee are shown below, with Division heads.



B.B. TERRELL  
C.H. MOSELEY  
Commodity Office Director.

L.R. WANNER

A.E. MORRIS

C.W. POLSON

H.C. GOODPASTURE

FRANK R. MCGREGOR  
Chief Operations, CSS.  
Washington, D.C.



LIGHT IN THE DARK

By Mildred Yeager

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It is Christmastime again, and how we love it! How we love the decorations and carols, the beautifully-tied packages, the parties, and just the Christmas spirit. It is in everyone's heart and again we are overcome by the wonder of the Saviour's birth and the mystic meaning of the incarnation. Even unbelievers cannot help but observe and feel some of the love penetrating the air and entering into the souls of humanity at this season.

Christianity means peace and desires to share something of God's love for all people. Today we have 30,000,000 refugees in our restless world, none of whom knows what it is to sit under his own vine or fig tree. Food, clothing, medicines, and vitamins are being sent by the Department of Overseas Relief and Inter-Church Aid of the Board of World Missions in Nashville, and by other churches through Church World Service.

The prophet Micah spoke wonderful words many years ago when he portrayed the time of peace when swords would be beaten into plowshares and spears into pruning hooks. These words are carved in a wall opposite the entrance to the United Nations build-

ing in New York City and have been the chosen words of men of many lands as they have tried to speak of the future. The way to peace is a spiritual road, a road of doing the will of God, loving His laws and keeping His Commandments.

A practical prescription for serene living in the midst of chores and burdens and temptations of everyday experience--in the home or in the drug-store, in the factory or in the office, on the street or in the buildings, amid pleasures or sorrow--has been offered us because a little baby was born nearly 2,000 years ago. From His life has come a source of courage in surgery, facing machine guns, or everyday problems.

How simple and practical and down to earth is Christianity! It is meant for everyday wear, to enter into the family circle, into the factory or office and not to be forgotten on Main street as we walk together. It offers essence to our souls when we believe that God can work out all things for our good, not seeking personal advantage or applause, and even at times forgetting possibly our own rights, finding no satisfaction in the faults and failures of others but joy in the triumph of truth.

The passing of the old year and the coming of the new one should make us thoughtful and helpful. What is our hope for ourselves and for the cause of right? Our only hope is to be joined with Christ in promoting peace on earth, Goodwill toward men by seeking to reconcile men toward God thereby striving to bring peace to a world torn by strife.

Christmas Time is Giving Time,  
Our Father God above  
Sent Jesus down at Christmas time,  
A gift of tender love.

Christmas Time is Giving Time,  
A time when we should share  
The message of God's gift of love  
With people everywhere!





USDA HONOR AWARDS

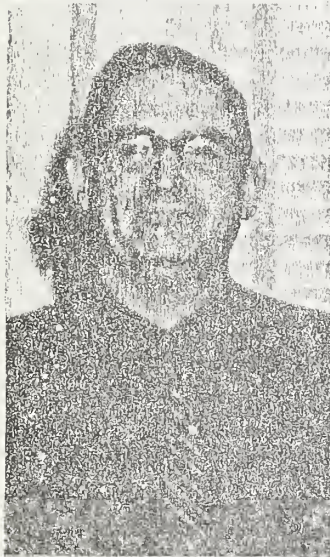
EMPLOYEE OF C S S CAPPED IN CEREMONY FOR NURSES AIDES.

In recognition of her work as a volunteer assistant at Baylor University Hospital, Miss Mildred Yeager, employee of CSS, Dallas Commodity Office, received a uniform cap in a ceremony at the hospital last month. The capping ceremony was conducted by Mesdames Willcinson and Ramsey, after an address by Mr. Clifton Dennard. Nurses vows were administered by Mrs. Willcinson. Volunteer workers are awarded caps after 100 hours of floor duty.

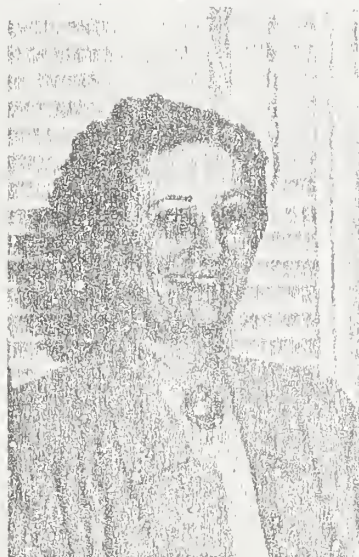


George R. McPherson - \$300. (Other Awards Page 6)

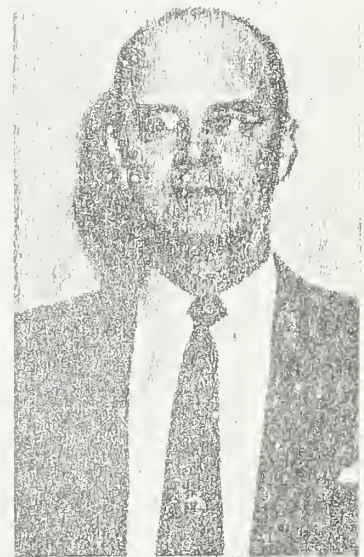
*Merit Awards  
And Checks Were  
Presented These  
CSS Commodity  
Office Employees  
In Ceremony At  
The Statler-Hilton*



George Jacobs - \$250.



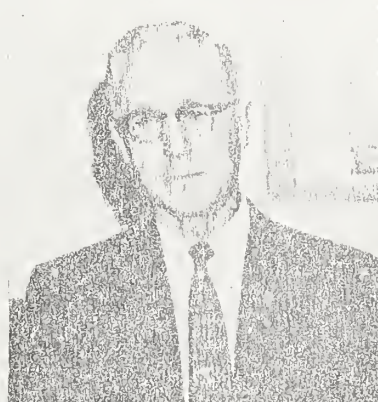
Hilda B. Warren - \$150.



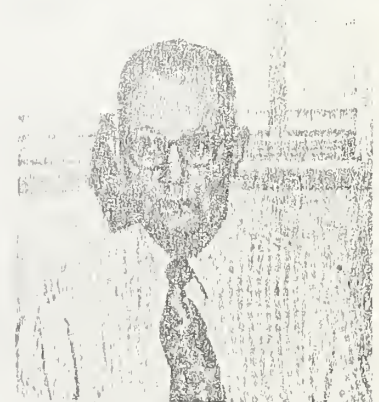
Pearl Miller - \$300.



Tom Daniel - \$300.



D. Donald Kolp - \$250.



Robert H. Thurmond - \$250.



MORE STATLER-HILTON AWARDS

Certifications of Appreciation were handed out in a ceremony at the Statler-Hilton Hotel to the following employees of CSS Commodity Office:

Winifred L. Stringer, an award for her suggestion, of \$10.00

Alice H. McKissack, \$10.00

Willie M. Weltler, \$10.00

Anne B. Ellis, \$15.00

Winona P. Adams, \$20.00

Billy R. Howell, two awards of \$50.00 and \$90.00

Freeman O. Stephenson, \$75.00

Antonina Citelli, \$105.00

Dora M. Prator, \$85.00 and \$60.00

These checks were presented well ahead of time to be used for Ol' Santa and we know they were much appreciated.

LENGTH OF SERVICE PINS PRESENTED

21 C S S EMPLOYEES

Ten year pins for length-of-Service awards were presented to:

Mildred R. Andrews, Mary Nell Barnes, Jewel W. Campbell, Lola A. Chancellor, Billy J. Cox, Thomas L. Hall, John L. Maxwell, Bess B. Mertz, Dorothy R. McBride, Maxine J. Queen, Helen E. Seeman, Charles C. Weaver, Leonard A. White, Eura M. Wren, Goldie A. Wynn, Anita G. Young, and Nora H. Young.

20-year pins went to: Bert W. Cannefax, Truman J. Cunningham, Mamie E. Robbins and Freeman O. Stephenson.

NEWS ITEMS ... (Cont'd from P. 2)

Christmas atmosphere, also...Something new has been added in Pat Newton's section, CSS; James Benesh has acquired a cranum carpet that looks almost real, with nice permanent wave. Really nice. A sort of Elvis with out his guitar effect, so look out girls, James is on a Dear hunt for sure! If the editor could improve his looks as much with one of the rugs he sure would order one! ...Welcome to the new employees in Food Distribution, by name William Walker and Marie McEvoy, who will find John J. Slaughter and his bunch grand people to work for and with....Born to Mr. and Mrs. Swany Walker December 6, at the witching hour of 5:00AM, a baby girl, Karen Denise. Swany and Missus doing well as could be expected....Several weddings since last issue...among them Miss Pat Moseley, daughter of CSS Director C.H. Moseley, now Mrs. Josephus M. Smith, and D.L. Arrington, CSS, who took unto himself a spouse last month. Coming up this December 28 Verlon Twaddell's youngster, Clint will marry Miss Elizabeth Roloff. Verlon is with GSA, Mrs Twaddell formerly with CSS, as was Clint until recently....

Our deepest Sympathy to Anne Morrow, CSS, who recently lost her sister, Mrs. Ellen Klump. Internment was at Restland.

And to Emilie Spaniel, CSS, whose sister passed away Nov. 12, burial being at Ennis Texas.

and to Clarence Baggett, whose mother died. ...That one man art show recently by eminent artist Otis Dozier reflects some glory on CSS whose Margie Dozier is a sister of Otis...Ho hum...seems everyone is too busy getting ready for the holidays to let the editor in on the latest gossip and news...MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!